

N^o 1527.

The TRANSLATION,
Humbly submitted to the most Reverend and most Learned
AUTHOR and ORATOR.

AT the Marriages or Espousals of Private Persons there is scarce any thing more regarded, or usual, than for those who have the Favour of being present, to form Conjectures of the future Happiness of the Bridegroom and Bride, from a due Consideration of their Tempers, Manners, and past Course of Life; and upon such Conjectures they not only congratulate with their Kindred and Friends, but they publish them to others abroad:

Which Custom, if ever there was a Reason for it any where, we are surely both admonish'd and persuaded to follow at this Time and in this Place, not only by the eminent Virtues of the magnanimous Youth whereof we have heard by Fame, but by that Modesty so conspicuous in the Behaviour of the Royal Virgin, by her remarkable Probity, and by that sweet Temper of hers which captivates our Love and Admiration, and in which very few equal her.

What Happiness therefore may we not expect from these Virtues of the Mind? As to the Advantages of her Person, tho' these also are excellent, and attract the Eyes of all, we say nothing, Matters of greater Importance call for our Attention; such as regard the Protection of the true Religion, the Defence of Publick Liberty, and the Benefit and Safety not only of this Kingdom or of the Dominion of *Hesse*, but even of all *EUROPE*; for every one of which the wisest, and (we may venture to foretel) the happiest Provision is made by these Espousals that could possibly be obtain'd by human Wisdom.

With all you therefore who have the Pleasure of being here present, and the rest of our Fellow-subjects who sorely regret their Absence from this solemn Assembly, we truly and heartily congratulate on the prosperous Beginning of such a weighty Affair, in Confidence that by the Blessing of God it will not fail of as happy an Issue.

But to YOU, O King! of Monarchs the best and greatest, of our Country the Father, Glory and Pillar, with the most grateful Hearts we render Thanks, that, without thinking it a Diminution, or foreign to that high Dignity to which, the Disposer of all things has, in his great Goodness to us, advanced your Majesty, you are always watching diligently for our Safety, and that even in your private Family (if it may be allow'd to call any thing private which concerns such and so great a King) you don't suffer one thing to be done or undertaken but what may also tend to the Good of the Publick. Therefore to God the Creator of Heaven and Earth we most ardently pray, that he will very long preserve you, SIR, in Safety for our Sakes; that he may be ever propitious to all your Royal Family, and crown all your Wishes, especially those of his Day, with Success.

And lastly, to the end that in this so Grand a Choir
of Illustrious Persons of both Sexes every one may offer
their joint Supplications in our Mother Tongue,

Let us pray,
 That God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Ghost, Three Persons and One God, would bless these Espousals; that he would make them prosperous to his Church, to these Kingdoms, and to the Unions of Hesse; and that he would direct them to the temporal and eternal Welfare of the two illustrious Persons now espoused and engaged to each other. Amen.

Roths.
Isaac Afaph;
Cranfoun.
Monfon.
De Lawarr.
S. Beauclerk, V. C.
Conway.
Brooke.
Pembroke & Mont.
Lothian.
Cholmondeley.
Torrington.
Cowper.
Gordon.
Tha. Norwich.
Albemarle.
Montague.
Sr. Albans.
Rochford.
H. Walpole.

HOME PORTS.

Gravesend, May 12. Passed by the *Uffrou Grade*, *Hollis*, from *Rotterdam*; the *Charming Sally*, *Boynell*, from *Malaga*; the *George*, *Pick*, from *Guernsey*; the *Jane*, *Perry*, from *Newfoundland*; the *Doctor*, *Boulton*, from *Guernsey*; the *Amsterdam Packet*, *Russell*, from *Amsterdam*; and the *Two Brothers*, *Wigmore*, from *Dunkirk*.

At Milford, the Cape Coast, Smith, of and for
Liverpoole, from Jamaica. ' Came out with the
' Drake Sloop.

The last Mail from France brought nothing more material, than that the Grand Master of Malta, by Advice of his Council, has banish'd 6 Knights of his Order from that Island, and forbid them from ever returning to it more, because they were of the Society of Free-Masons.

By a Mail which arriv'd Yesterday from Holland there's Advice from Constantinople, that the Ambassador from the Porte is set out for Vienna with a Retinue of no less than 500 Persons; and that the Troops particularly the Janizaries still discover a great Disgust at the late Peace with the Christian Powers, tho' several have been executed for exciting the others to revolt. The Emperor's Ambassador will carry to Constantinople a Retinue of above 600 Persons.

The Letters of the 26th ult. N. S. from Peter-burg say, that 30 Men of War are getting ready at Cronstadt to put to Sea under the Command of the Admiral de Wiltter, and that 8 Regiments are marching thither to be embark'd on board 140 Gallies that are Station'd there for that Purpose.

Those of the 30th from Rome say, that the Sacred College, in order to maintain the Neutrality of the Ecclesiastical State, have decreed that the English Ship carry'd into Civita Vecchia by a Spanish Privateer is not good Prize, and shall be immediately set at Liberty.

The Letters of the 4th Inf. N. S from Copenhagen say, that the Embarkation of the Danish Forces for Ireland is deferred.

Those of the ad O.S. from Hanover say, that in all Probability his Britannick Majesty will have an Interview with the K. of Denmark, who is expected forthwith in Holstein and is to repair to some Place on the Frontier that is to be fix'd for the said Interview.

A Letter of the 26th ult. N. S. from Madrid says, that the Governor of Porto Bello is expected in Spain, where he will be prosecuted by the Court for the bad Defence he made of that Place, there being a heavy Charge against him in several Accounts sent from America; and that 'tis not doubted but Admiral Vernon had a Correspondence in that Place, the same having been confirm'd by the Escape of some Inhabitants from Porto Bello who corresponded with him. They say that the Governor had amass'd so much Wealth, that the Fear of losing it made him so ready to capitulate. This Letter adds, that the Spanish Court has order'd a strict Search to be made for apprehending all the Free Masons in the Kingdom.

From the London Gazette.

At the Court at St. James's, the 12th Day of May,
1740. Present the King's most Excellent Majesty
In Council.

His Majesty in Council this Day declaring his Intention of going out of the Kingdom for a short time, was pleased to nominate the following Persons to be Lords Justices for the Administration of the Government during his Majesty's Absence.

John Lord Archbishop of Canterbury.
Philip Lord Hardwicke Lord Chancellor.
Spencer Earl of Wilmington Lord President.
John Lord Hervey Lord Privy Seal.
Lionel Cranfield Duke of Dorset Lord Steward.
Charles Duke of Grafton Lord Chamberlain.
Charles Duke of Richmond Master of the Horse.
Charles Duke of Bolton.

John Duke of Montagu Master General of the Ordnance.

Thomas Duke of Newcastle one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.
Henry Earl of Pembroke Groom of the Stole.
Archibald Earl of Ilay.
William Lord Harrington one of his Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.
Sir Robert Walpole Knight of the most Noble Order of the Garter, First Commissioner of the Treasury.
And,
Sir Charles Wager, Kt. First Commissioner of the Admiralty.

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Rt. Hon. Henry Vis. Londale to be Lord Lieutenant of the Counties of Westmoreland and Cumberland; his Lordship this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

This Day the Rt. Hon. Charles Lord Cornwallis, was, by his Majesty's Command, sworn of his Majesty's most Hon. Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

Whitehall, May 12. This Day the King was pleased to confer the Honour of Knighthood on Dudley Ryder, Esq; his Majesty's Attorney General; and on John Strange, Esq; his Majesty's Solicitor General.

Whitehall, May 13. This Morning about Six a-Clock his Majesty left St. James's, pass'd in his Barge from Whitehall to Lambeth, and from thence proceeded by Coach to Gravesend, where he embark'd about Ten on board the Carolina Yacht for Holland.

On Monday last the Rev. Dr. Alured Clarke (Brother to Mr. Clarke, Knight of the Shire for Huntingdon) was introduced to the King by his Grace the Duke of Manchester, when he kissed his Majesty's Hand for the Deanery of Exeter.

We hear from Huntingdon, that Mr. Pigott and Mr. Clarke, two Gentlemen of known Interest in their Country, will appear as Joint Candidates at the next Election for that County.

On Monday last was held a Board of Admiralty, when their Lordships were pleased to put into Commission the Biddford, a 20 Gun Ship, and gave the Command thereof to Capt. Allen.

Their Lordships were likewise pleased to appoint Mr. Roberts to be Lieutenant thereof.

On Monday last a Brewer's Servant riding on the Dray in Market-street near St. James's Market, and seeing a Child in great Danger of being run over with a Cart, he immediately jump'd down to save the Child, but the Cart went over him, and bruised him in such a terrible Manner that he died the next Day.

On Saturday last died on his Way to the Bath, the Hon. Mr. Forbes, Uncle to the Right Hon. the Lord Forbes.

To-morrow Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. will be elected Knight of the Shire for the County of Middlesex, in the Room of Sir Francis Child, Knt. deceased.

BANKRUPTS.

John Dalton, of the Parish of St. Andrew Holbourn, in the County of Middlesex, Brewer.

John Yeats and William Clark, both of the Parish of St. Saviour's Southwark, in the County of Surrey, Feltmakers and Partners.

William Dealtry the Elder, of Gainsburgh, in the County of Lincoln, Merchant.

High Water this Day } at London Bridge.	Morning	Evening
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Bank Stock 141 1-half. India 161 3-4ths. South Sea 100 1-4th. Old Annuity 110 5-8ths. New ditto 111 1-4th. Three per Cent. 101 1-half. Seven per Cent. Loan 110 5-8ths. Five per Cent. ditto 92 1-half. Royal Assurance 87 3-4ths. London Assurance 11 1-8th. African 10. India Bonds 41 15s. Prem. Bank Circulation 51. 2s. 6d. Prem. Safe Tatties 1-4th to 1-half Prem. English Copper 31. 6s. 6d. Welsh ditto 15s. Three 1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders 103 1-half. Three per Cent. ditto 96 3-4ths. Million Bank 116. Equivalent 110 1-8th. Lottery Tickets 51. 1s. 6d.

To be LETT,

And entered upon at Michaelmas next, at Bushey in Hertfordshire.

A Farm containing about 30 Acres of good Arable and Pasture Land, now in the Possession of Mr. John Creek. Inquire of Mr. Joseph Ironmonger at the Queen's Head in Standon, or of Mr. Edward Bellis, at the Green Man in Bushey.

N.B. The Dwelling-house, Barn, and Out-houses, which are large and very convenient, are all newly repair'd.

Stamp Office, May 9, 1740.

THE Commissioners for managing His Majesty's Stamp Revenues do hereby give Notice, That by a Clause in An Act of last Session of Parliament, intituled An Act for continuing the several Laws therein mentioned, relating to the Premiums upon the Importation of Masts, Yards, and Bow sprits, Tar, Pitch, and Turpentine, and so forth. It is (inter alia) enacted to the Effect following: That for the Relief of any Person or Persons who thro' Neglect or Inadvertency have omitted to pay his Majesty's Duties of Stamp in the Pound for every Sum of Fifty Pounds or under, and of Twelve-pence in the Pound for every Sum amounting to more than Fifty Pounds given, paid, contracted or agreed for, or any Part thereof, with Clerks, Apprentices, or Servants, within the Times limited by the several Acts of Parliament in that Case made; or who have omitted to insert or write in Words at length in the Indentures or other Writings containing the Covenants and Agreements relating to such Clerks, Apprentices and Servants, the full Sum or Sums of Money, or any Part thereof received or in any wise, directly or indirectly given, paid, agreed or contracted for, with or in relation to such Clerk, Apprentice, or Servant, every such Person and Persons, Clerks, Apprentices, and Servants, are Acquitted and Discharged of and from all Penalties and Incapacities incurred by reason of such Omissions, upon Payment of the said Rates and Duties on or before the First Day of August 1740.

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This Day is Published,

THE POLITICAL STATE of Great Britain for the Month of APRIL, 1740.

Containing in particular:

NATIONAL POLITICKS, &c.

* I. An Enquiry whether France will engage against Great Britain in the present War or not. In a Letter from a French Nobleman.

* II. A Letter to an eminent Merchant, shewing how the greatest private Advantage may be made by the present War. Occasioned by his Majesty's Proclamation to encourage Private Adventurers.

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THE ROYAL-EXCHANGE INTELLIGENCE: Containing all memorable Occurrences worthy Publick Attention.

* IV. Circumstances of the War between England and Spain; whether it will last long; Conduct of the King of Spain since taking Porto Bello; Spanish Privateers catch'd an English Tartar, &c. Affairs between Sweden and Russia; Contents of Trade between the Dutch and the Danes; Motives for the Emperor to shake off France. Of the Spanish Squadron sailing from Cales, &c. with divers other remarkable Particulars.

PLANTATION NEWS never before published.

* V. Of a Spanish Prize taken in America; General Oglethorpe's Success against the Spaniards, and St. Augustine: Whitefield's Conduct at Georgia, setting Men to work, building an Orphan-house, &c.

* VI. Of Spanish Ships at Cales, Corunna, Ferol, Cartagena in Old and New Spain.

* VII. An Account of the Strength and Fortification of the British Island-Colonies in America, necessary to be judg'd of since the sailing of the Spanish Fleet.

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From our curious Collection of Manuscripts of several Persons of Honour and Quality. To be continued Monthly.

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* IX. A very Remarkable Letter from a City Merchant to a Noble Lord on his treating his Overtures of Marriage with his Daughter with Contempt, because the Blood of his Ancestors was defas'd with Trade.

X. Miscellaneous Particulars of divers Kinds, consistent with the New General Plan of this Work.

XI. Promotions, Marriages, Deaths, &c. of Persons of Honour and Distinction, Ecclesiastical, Civil and Military, &c. Bankrupts, Course of Exchange, Price of Stocks, Gold and Silver, &c.

XII. Books publish'd this Month.

N.B. Those Pieces marked * are Originals, and in no other Track but this.

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Note, A Catalogue of the said Library may be seen at Parsonage-house at Stathern.

NOTICE is hereby given,

THAT there now is in the Custody of RALPH BARTON, of Wigan in the County of Lancaster, A Black Bay Mare, fourteen Han's and high, about Seven Years old, a small Star in her Face, and a small Snip in her Nose, that was offered to him by a Person who called himself by the Name of Ridley, said he had been a Distiller at Settle in Yorkshire, under Misfortunes, said Esquire Nowel, or Mr. Allen Post-master of Settle, would satisfy any Person of his Character.

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